

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

IN RE: PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY)	MDL No. 1456
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE)	
LITIGATION)	Master File No. 01-CV-12257
)	
<hr/> THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:)	Judge Patti B. Saris
)	
<i>International Union of Operating Engineers,</i>)	
<i>Local NO. 68 Welfare Fund v. AstraZeneca</i>)	
<i>PLC, et al.,</i>)	
<hr/> <i>(D. Mass. No. 04-11503-PBS)</i>)	

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.5.2(a), please notice the appearance of Brandon L. Bigelow and Bingham McCutchen LLP as attorneys for Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited (formerly known as Takeda Chemical Industries, Ltd.) in the above-captioned matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 9, 2005, a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Notice of Appearance* was served upon all counsel of record by electronic service, in accordance with Case Management Order No. 2 by sending a copy to Verilaw Technologies for posting and notification to all parties.

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